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    with a murine ob gene obtained using the methods of Zhang, Y. et al.,
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    Nature 372, 425-432 (1994)
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     (ZYMO ) ZYMOGENETICS INC.
     (UNIW ) UNIV WASHINGTON.
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PΙ
     Weigle DS, Kuijper JL,
                            Bukowski TR;
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DR
     WPI; 1996-354476/35.
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DR
XX
     Identifying factors that regulate appetite, e.g. for treatment of obesity
PT
     - by administering a test sample to a mammal and determining decrease in
PT
     food consumption.
PT
XX
     Claim 6; Page 76; 90pp; English.
PS
XX
     The human ob protein (appetite suppression factor) amino acid sequence
CC
     (AAR99473) was deduced from a cDNA clone (AAT34164) derived from human
CC
     adipose tissue. The mature ob protein, pref. modified with an N-terminal
CC
     histidine tag, can be obtd. by expression in transformed host (esp.
CC
     yeast) cells. It is used to regulate the appetite of an individual,
CC
     thereby decreasing food consumption. Mouse ob proteins (see also AAR99472
CC
CC
     and AAR99474) were also identified
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DT
     12-SEP-1996 (first entry)
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     Obesity protein.
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     Obesity; mouse; OBP; leptin; hormone; body weight regulation; diabetes;
KW
     food intake; energy expenditure; high blood pressure; cholesterol; human;
KW
     gene therapy; antibody; cancer; Kobe beef; Foie gras; immunoassay.
KW
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     (UYRQ ) UNIV ROCKEFELLER.
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                   Zhang Y, Proenca R, Maffei M, Halaas JL, Gajiwala K;
PΙ
     Friedman JM,
PΙ
     Burley SK;
XX
     WPI; 1996-099009/11.
DR
     N-PSDB; AAT16373.
DR
XX
     Obesity polypeptide(s) able to modulate body wt. - useful for e.g.
PT
     reducing wt. in treatment of diabetes, high blood pressure and high
PT
     cholesterol and for cosmetic reasons.
PT
XX
PS
     Claim 2; p171-172; 304pp; English.
XX
     This sequence represents the human obesity polypeptide (OBP). OBP (also
CC
     known as leptin) is a hormone involved in the regulation of body weight.
CC
     This sequence has effects on both food intake and energy expenditure. OBP
CC
     and its analogues are useful for modifying body weight (optionally
CC
     combined with known medicaments), for treating diabetes, high blood
CC
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pressure or high cholesterol. The DNA encoding this sequence (and
CC
    sequences complimentary to it) can be used in gene therapy for modifying
CC
    body weight. This protein can be used for reducing weight for health or
CC
    cosmetic reasons in obese humans, or to produce leaner food animals.
CC
    Antagonists of OBP (including antibodies) are useful for increasing body
CC
    weight, e.g. for treating weight loss associated with cancer, or for
CC
    cosmetic reasons in humans, or for production of Kobe beef or Foie gras
CC
    in domestic animals. OBP antibodies (Ab) can also be used in diagnostic
    immunoassays for the presence of OBP. The formation of Ab-OBP complexes
CC
CC
    enables in vitro evaluation of levels of OBP in a sample, especially to
CC
    detect diseases associated with elevated or decreased levels, and to
    monitor treatment of these diseases
CC
XX
    Sequence 167 AA;
SQ
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 Query Match
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    Human obese (ob) protein.
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    Obese protein; ob protein; osteogenic cell; bone-forming activity;
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KW
    bone healing; bone loss.
KW
XX
OS
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XX
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     (UNIW ) UNIV WASHINGTON.
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    Durnam DM, Kuijper JL, Weigle DS, Liu CC;
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    WPI; 1997-535577/49.
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DR
    N-PSDB; AAT93021.
XX
PT
    Use of obese protein for inducing bone formation - particularly for
PT
    treating osteoporosis, repairing fractures, dental defects or
PΤ
    resectioning due to oncogenesis.
XX
PS
    Disclosure; Page 32; 42pp; English.
XX
CC
    The present sequence represents a human obese (ob) protein. DNA sequence
    was isolated from an adipose tissue cDNA library using a probe derived
CC
CC
    from the mouse obese gene. ob proteins can produce a dramatic increase in
CC
    osteogenic cells or their bone-forming activity. They can enhance
    recruitment or migration of bone-forming cells to the proper bone-forming
CC
    tissues and tissue sites. The ob protein was used in the method of the
CC
    invention, which involves the stimulation of a cell population containing
CC
    marrow mesenchymal cells. The method comprises exposing the cell
CC
    population to an ob protein for expansion of osteogenic cells, a
CC
CC
    biological fluid obtained from an ob protein-treated mammal, or a culture
    medium that has been conditioned by growth of endocrine or CNS cells or
CC
    tissue exposed to ob protein. The method can be used in a mammal for
CC
    promoting bone repair or bone healing, stimulating bone ingrowth into a
CC
    prosthetic device or dental implant that has been inserted into a mammal,
CC
    for treating bone loss, for increasing bone length, for stimulating
CC
    active bone growth, or for inducing bone formation
CC
XX
SQ
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    (FARH ) HOECHST AG.
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PΤ
    Ertl J, Preibisch G, Mueller G;
XX
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    WPI; 1998-217209/19.
XX
PΤ
    Use of leptin antagonists - for restoring or amplifying the physiological
PT
    effect of insulin in the treatment of Type II diabetes.
XX
PS
    Disclosure; Page 19; 30pp; English.
XX
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    This is a human leptin protein sequence which is highly homologous to the
CC
    murine leptin sequence. The carboxyl-terminal fragment of the murine
CC
    leptin can act as a leptin antagonist. This can be used in a
    pharmaceutical composition which comprises the murine leptin fragment
CC
CC
    which is therapeutically beneficial for the treatment of Type II
    diabetes. The leptin antagonists include peptides derived from leptin
CC
    fragments and may be obtained by chemically or enzymatically cleaving
CC
CC
    intact leptin or by recombinant expression using microorganisms. This
CC
    fragment can be prepared by digestion of leptin with lysyl endopeptidase.
    The leptin antagonists can restore or amplify the physiological effect of
CC
CC
    insulin by inhibiting leptin-induced insulin resistance
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     Bailon PS, Devos R, Campfield A, Guisez Y;
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     N-PSDB; AAZ95530.
DR
XX
     Polyethylene and polypropylene obese protein conjugates are useful for
PT
     the prevention, treatment and control of obesity and associated diseases
PT
PТ
     and conditions.
XX
PS
     Disclosure; Col 35-36; 26pp; English.
XX
CC
     The present invention describes a composition comprising one or more
     polyethylene and polypropylene human obese protein conjugates (I). The
CC
     composition has anorectic activity. The conjugates are used for the
CC
     treatment, prevention and control of obesity and associated conditions in
CC
     humans and animals. The present sequence represents the human obese
CC
CC
     protein
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DT
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DR
    WPI; 2000-601556/57.
DR
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XX
PТ
    Nucleic acid primers and probes useful for detecting mutations in
    mammalian OB gene associated with regulation of body weight and
PT
PT
    adiposity.
XX
    Example; Fig 3; 153pp; English.
PS
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    The present sequence is encoded by a nucleotide sequence used in an
CC
    invention relating to the control of body weight of animals including
CC
    humans. Nucleic acids of at least 10 nucleotides which are hybridisable
CC
    to a non-coding region of an OB nucleic acid have been created. The OB
CC
     gene plays a critical role in the regulation of body weight and
CC
    adiposity. The nucleic acids may be used as probes or as primers for PCR.
CC
    They are useful for evaluating the presence of mutations in the human OB
CC
     gene or for evaluating the level of expression of OB mRNA. Defects
CC
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